



# **Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges**

## **Quarterly Summary Report**

### **Based on Number of Reported Cases**

#### **April - June 2009**

Juvenile Court: **Putnam**

Court Number: **71**

Cases Disposed or Adjusted: **497**

Children: **292**

General characteristics of these cases follow:

#### **Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges:**

Each case may include up to 5 referral reasons therefore the number of total referral reasons, referral sources, intake actions, formal/informal actions and person executing the action may be greater than the total number of cases.

0	0.00%	Criminal Homicide
0	0.00%	1st Degree Murder
0	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
0	0.00%	Rape of a Child
0	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect
0	0.00%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	0.00%	Rape
0	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	0.00%	Other Sexual Offenses
4	0.65%	Aggravated Assault
0	0.00%	Robbery
0	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
23	3.76%	Assault
5	0.82%	Reckless Endangerment
0	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
0	0.00%	Arson
0	0.00%	Aggravated Burglary
49	8.02%	Theft of Property
7	1.15%	Vandalism
4	0.65%	Forgery
0	0.00%	Worthless Checks



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4	0.65%	Illegal Possession / Fraudulent Use of Credit / Debit Cards
1	0.16%	Burglary
0	0.00%	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle
0	0.00%	Cruelty to Animals
2	0.33%	Sale of Controlled Substances
6	0.98%	Other Drug Offenses
38	6.22%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
5	0.82%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
3	0.49%	Unlawful Carrying / Possession of a Weapon
3	0.49%	Evading Arrest
0	0.00%	Escape
0	0.00%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
22	3.60%	Possession / Consumption of Alcohol
0	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	0.00%	Harassment
3	0.49%	Failure to Appear
1	0.16%	Filing a False Police Report
0	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
26	4.26%	Disorderly Conduct
1	0.16%	Criminal Trespass
1	0.16%	Public Intoxication
0	0.00%	Gambling
126	20.62%	Traffic
0	0.00%	Local Ordinances
0	0.00%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
39	6.38%	Contempt of Court
28	4.58%	Violation of Probation
7	1.15%	Violation of Aftercare
21	3.44%	Unruly Behavior



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37	6.06%	Truancy
23	3.76%	In-State Runaway
0	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
3	0.49%	Possession of Tobacco Products
21	3.44%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
33	5.40%	Violation of Curfew
0	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
38	6.22%	Dependency / Neglect
1	0.16%	Termination of Parental Rights
18	2.95%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%	Judicial Review
0	0.00%	Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Foster Care Review
5	0.82%	Custody
0	0.00%	Visitation
1	0.16%	Paternity / Legitimation
2	0.33%	Child Support
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry
0	0.00%	Other

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611	100.00%	<b>Total Referrals</b>
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### Referral Sources: 1

363	59.41%	Law Enforcement
3	0.49%	Parents
2	0.33%	Relatives
0	0.00%	Self
37	6.06%	School
0	0.00%	CSA
92	15.06%	DCS
0	0.00%	Other State Department
3	0.49%	District Attorney's Office
92	15.06%	Court Staff
0	0.00%	Social Agency
0	0.00%	Other Court
12	1.96%	Victim
0	0.00%	Child & Parent
0	0.00%	Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
7	1.15%	Other
611	100.00%	<b>Total Referral Sources</b>

### Age of Child at Referral: 2

23	7.88%	Ages 10 and Under
11	3.77%	Ages 11 through 12
48	16.44%	Ages 13 through 14
103	35.27%	Ages 15 through 16
105	35.96%	Ages 17 through 18
2	0.68%	Ages 19 and Over
0	0.00%	Unknown
292	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

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**Sex of Child: 1**

159	54.45%	Male
132	45.21%	Female
1	0.34%	Unknown
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**Race of Child: 1**

272	93.15%	White
6	2.05%	African American
1	0.34%	Native American
0	0.00%	Asian
5	1.71%	Mixed
8	2.74%	Unknown
292	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Hispanic Origin: 1**

8	2.74%	Yes
265	90.75%	No
19	6.51%	Unknown
292	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**School Enrollment of Children: 1**

82	28.08%	Yes
59	20.21%	No
151	51.71%	Unknown
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### Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral: 1

71	24.32%	With Both Biological Parents
10	3.42%	With Father and Stepmother
35	11.99%	With Mother and Stepfather
79	27.05%	With Mother
21	7.19%	With Father
18	6.16%	With Relatives
5	1.71%	With Adoptive Parents
7	2.40%	With Foster Family
1	0.34%	In a Group Home
2	0.68%	In a Residential Center
0	0.00%	In an Institution
4	1.37%	Independent
30	10.27%	Unknown
9	3.08%	Other
292	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

### Type of Detention: 2

0	0.00%	Non-Secure Placement
229	46.08%	Juvenile Detention Facility
3	0.60%	Jail - Complete Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - Partial Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - No Separation
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
265	53.32%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
497	100.00%	<b>Total Detention Count</b>

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### Placement After Secure Detention Hearing: 1

217	43.66%	Returned to Prior Living Arrangement
11	2.21%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail
1	0.20%	Shelter / Group Home
0	0.00%	Foster Family Home
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
268	53.92%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
497	100.00%	<b>Total Placement Count</b>

### Intake Actions: 2

446	73.00%	Petition Filed
0	0.00%	Motion Filed
126	20.62%	Citation Processed
0	0.00%	Notification of Paternity Processed
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	0.00%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Does Not Apply
39	6.38%	Other
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**Last Grade Completed by Child: 1**

10	3.42%	Too Young for School
0	0.00%	Preschool
0	0.00%	Kindergarten
0	0.00%	1st Grade
0	0.00%	2nd Grade
1	0.34%	3rd Grade
3	1.03%	4th Grade
5	1.71%	5th Grade
16	5.48%	6th Grade
24	8.22%	7th Grade
28	9.59%	8th Grade
47	16.10%	9th Grade
56	19.18%	10th Grade
32	10.96%	11th Grade
0	0.00%	12th Grade
0	0.00%	Non-Graded Special Ed
3	1.03%	GED
7	2.40%	Graduated
0	0.00%	Never Attended School
34	11.64%	Unknown
26	8.90%	Other
292	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Enrolled in Special Education: 1**

0	0.00%	Yes
0	0.00%	No
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**Action Executed By: 1**

611	100.00%	Judge
0	0.00%	Referee
0	0.00%	YSO
0	0.00%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown
611	100.00%	<b>Total Action Count</b>

**Formal / Informal Actions: 1**

175	28.64%	Dismissed
1	0.16%	Retired / Nolle Prosequi
120	19.64%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
63	10.31%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
22	3.60%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
0	0.00%	Informal Adjustment
123	20.13%	Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Transfer to Adult Court Hearing
0	0.00%	Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court
4	0.65%	Special Proceeding
0	0.00%	Review Concluded
103	16.86%	Case Held Open
0	0.00%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown
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### Case Outcomes:

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90	5.18%	Case Dismissed
0	0.00%	Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi
0	0.00%	Warned / Counseled
12	0.69%	Held Open For Review
34	1.96%	Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court
0	0.00%	Probation to Parents
1	0.06%	Referral to Another Entity for Supervision / Service
0	0.00%	Referred for Mental Health Counseling
52	2.99%	Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	0.00%	Referred to Alternative School
0	0.00%	Referred to Private Child Agency
68	3.91%	Referred to Defensive Driving School
0	0.00%	Referred to Alcohol Safety School
53	3.05%	Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	0.00%	Driver's License Held Informally
0	0.00%	Voluntary Placement with DMHMR
0	0.00%	Private Mental Health Placement
0	0.00%	Private MR Placement
0	0.00%	Placement with City/County Agency/Facility
0	0.00%	Placement with Relative / Other Individual
40	2.30%	Fine
215	12.38%	Public Service
5	0.29%	Restitution
0	0.00%	Runaway Returned
0	0.00%	No Contact Order
83	4.78%	Injunction Other than No Contact Order
12	0.69%	House Arrest
0	0.00%	Court Defined Curfew
0	0.00%	Dismissed from Informal Adjustment
62	3.57%	Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Released from Probation
0	0.00%	Transferred to Adult Court
4	0.23%	DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Determinate



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8	0.46%	DCS Commitment - Custody
7	0.40%	DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	0.00%	DCS Intensive Probation
11	0.63%	Other Intensive Probation
43	2.48%	DCS Probation
41	2.36%	Placed Under a Valid Court Order
73	4.20%	Supervision by DCS
9	0.52%	Transferred to Another Juvenile Court for Disposition
1	0.06%	Parental Rights Terminated
0	0.00%	Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	0.00%	Order of Reference to DCS
395	22.74%	Court Costs
0	0.00%	Foster Care Terminated
10	0.58%	Foster Care Continued
32	1.84%	Custody Changed
2	0.12%	Custody Unchanged
2	0.12%	Visitation Changed
0	0.00%	Visitation Unchanged
0	0.00%	Voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity
1	0.06%	Paternity Determined / Child Legitimated
1	0.06%	Paternity Not Determined / Child Not Legitimated
0	0.00%	Child Support Granted
0	0.00%	Child Support Amended
0	0.00%	Child Support Denied
0	0.00%	Child Support Terminated
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Granted
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Denied
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Granted
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Denied
370	21.30%	Other
1,737	100.00%	<b>Total Outcome Count</b>

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